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PATENT APPLICATION
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Collins *et al.*

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APPLICATION:

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FOR: CYTOKINE RECEPTOR CHAINS

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a five (5) month extension of time for replying to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated September 4, 2001. With the extension, the present papers are due on or before April 4, 2002. A check (#12285) in the amount of \$980.00 is enclosed herewith.

A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

The Examiner is authorized to charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, reference no. 22058-514 NATL.

Respectfully submitted,

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